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Applicants hereby submit that the entire delay in filing a Notice of Appeal or requesting continued examination from the final available due date on September 26, 2005 until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) was unintentional.

As required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b)(1), enclosed herewith is a Request for Continued Examination. Applicants request that the finality of the March 25, 2005 Office Action be withdrawn, and that the August 25, 2005 Amendment be entered.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b)(2) and as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(m) to Deposit Account No. 50-1290. The Commissioner is also hereby authorized to charge the fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(d) and as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) to Deposit Account No. 50-1290. It is believed that no other fees are due with this petition. However, if any other fees are due with this paper, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fee(s) to Deposit Account No. 50-1290.

Please direct any inquiries regarding this petition to the Applicants' undersigned attorney at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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